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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Wilbur C. Vogley

Application No.: 10/073,573 Filed: 02/08/2002

Group No.: 2874

Examiner: Jennifer Doan

For: BACKPLANE WIRE AND NOISE ELIMINATOR TUBE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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No additional fee for claims is required.

FEE DEFICIENCY

5. An additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 19-0737.

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In response to the Office Action dated March 17, 2004, please enter the following amendments to the above-identified application as follows.